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A RESOLUTION

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IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

April 29, 2003

To declare the existence of an emergency with respect to the need to approve the acceptance and use of grants not included in the ceiling of the District of Columbia Appropriations Act, 2003.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the "Mid April Budget Modifications for FY 2003 Grant Funds Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2003".

- Sec. 2. (a) Compliance with federal law established by section 119 of the FY 2003 Appropriations Act, 2003, approved February 20, 2003 (Pub. Law 108-7; 117 Stat. 11), requires Council approval within 15 calendar days after a request for acceptance and use of grants not included in the ceiling of the FY 2003 appropriation for the District of Columbia.
- (b) Grant requests have been submitted that are not included in the FY2003 appropriations ceiling. These grants must be approved by the Council expeditiously.
- Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia determines that the circumstances enumerated in section 2 constitute emergency circumstances making it necessary that the Mid April Budget Modifications for FY 2003 Grant Funds Approval Emergency Act of 2003 be adopted after a single reading.
 - Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.